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Claim 8 line 1 delete " nach einem der Ansprüche 1 bis 6 [one of the claims 1 to 6]", substitute with "nach Anspruch 1 [according to claim 1]".

Claim 14 line 1 delete " nach einem der Ansprüche 10 bis 13 [one of the claims 10 to 13]", substitute with "nach Anspruch 10 [according to claim 10]".

Claim 15 line 1 delete " nach einem der Ansprüche 10 bis 13 [one of the claims 10 to 13]", substitute with "nach Anspruch 10 [according to claim 10]".

Claim 16 line 1 delete " nach einem der Ansprüche 10 bis 13 [one of the claims 10 to 13]", substitute with "nach Anspruch 10 [according to claim 10]".

Claim 17 line 1 delete "nach einem der Ansprüche 9 bis 16 [one of the claims 9 to 16]", substitute with "nach Anspruch 9 [according to claim 9]".

Claim 20 line 1 delete "nach einem der Ansprüche 9 bis 19 [one of the claims 9 to 19]", substitute with "nach Anspruch 9 [according to claim 9]".

Claim 21 line 1 delete "nach einem der Ansprüche 9 bis 19 [one of the claims 9 to 19]", substitute with "nach Anspruch 9 [according to claim 9]".

REMARKS:

This Amendment is submitted simultaneously with filing of the above identified application.

With the present Amendment applicant has amended the claims so as to eliminate their multiple dependency.

Consideration and allowance of the present application is most respectfully requested.

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